

# City of Lauderhill



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## **NEWS RELEASE - COVID-19 (Coronavirus) #45**

### **City of Lauderhill Now Able to Give Vaccines to Lauderhill Residents Ages 60 and older. Playgrounds and Outdoor Exercise Equipment Reopened.**

**Lauderhill, FL – March 9, 2021 – 6:00 PM** – The City of Lauderhill has issued a total of 52 emergency orders pertaining to the COVID-19 Pandemic, marking a one year milestone. This year has proven our residents and businesses in the City of Lauderhill are resilient and strong. As a full service City, Lauderhill is fully operational and is providing assistance with CARES/PPP funding, sponsoring food distributions, and managing public health affairs via testing and vaccine locations. The Parks and Recreation department will be reopening the use of playgrounds and outdoor exercise equipment on Tuesday, March 16, 2021.

#### **Testing Locations**

The **Lauderhill Sports Park** is a testing location, provided by the [Florida Department of Emergency Management](#), and has completed over 137,000 tests for individuals. The site offers both the PCR & Rapid testing options. Rapid tests are offered to all. If you require a PCR test, please bring a doctor's note, travel, and/or work documentation that shows PCR testing requirement. You must bring a government-issued ID and have a working cell phone number. At the request of Representative Anika Omphroy, this testing site remains open daily. The hours of operation are from 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM every day of the week (weather permitting) on a first-come, first-serve basis. If you have any questions about your testing results, please direct them to 954-357-9500 or the [testing lab provider](#). City staff doesn't have access to any testing results.

#### **Vaccination Locations**

The **City of Lauderhill's Fire Department** is staffing and operating a **Vaccination Site at John Mullin Park** (2000 NW 55 Avenue), Monday through Thursday from 9:00am to 11:00am. Vaccinations are FREE to any City of Lauderhill Resident that is 65 years of age or older, but starting Monday, March 15, 2021, that age will be lowered to 60 years of age or older. Applicants must register in advance for their appointment and must print out and [complete the Pfizer-BioNTech Vaccine Screening and Consent Form](#). This form must be brought with you on the day of your appointment. Residents must show proof of residency and proof of age 60 or older to receive the vaccine. If you have any questions or need to schedule an appointment, please contact the City of Lauderhill COVID-19 call center at 954-730-3008, Monday through Friday from 9:00 AM to 6:00 PM.

[Download the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Fact Sheet for Recipients and Caregivers](#)

The **Central Broward Park and Broward County Stadium (3700 NW 11 Place)** is also open for COVID-19 Vaccinations from 8:00 AM – 4:00 PM for individuals age 65+ (60 and older beginning Monday, March 15, 2021) with confirmed appointments only. The site is operated by Florida Department of Health in Broward County, in collaboration with City of Lauderhill Fire Department, Broward Sheriff's Office and Broward County Parks and Recreation Division. Please call 866-201-6313 or [visit myvaccine.fl.gov](#) to make an appointment.

As [CVS](#), [Publix](#) and [Walmart](#) are beginning to administer the vaccine, please check their websites for more information on availability, locations and scheduling.

#### **Food Distribution**

Joy's Roti Delight, in conjunction with the City of Lauderhill and sponsors will host its bi-weekly *Drive Thru Food Distribution* on Sunday, March 21, 2021 at 9:00 AM. Food will be distributed to each car on a first come, first serve basis while supplies last. No walk-ups will be served and it is open to the public. The event location is at the Lauderhill Mall – on the corner of 441 and NW 12 Street outside of Joy's Roti Delight.

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